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Listing of Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of the claims in the application.

- 1. (Withdrawn) A method for extracting a compound from a plant material including:
 - -providing an extractant including a fatty acid ester
- -contacting the extractant with a plant material to extract a compound from the plant material.
- 2. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 1 wherein the fatty acid ester is selected from a group consisting of methyl, ethyl, propyl, butyl, pentyl, hexyl, heptyl, octyl, nonyl, decyl, undecyl and dodecyl esters.
- 3. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 1 wherein the fatty acid ester is produced by esterification of an animal or vegetable oil.
- 4. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 3 wherein the vegetable oil is selected from a group consisting of soyabean, sunflower, safflower, canola, cotton, coconut, castor, corn, linseed, peanut, palm, hemp, rice bran, tung, jojoba and olive oil.
- 5. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 3 wherein the animal oil is selected from a group consisting of tallow, lard, wool grease and fish oils.
- 6. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 1 wherein the extractant further includes one or more of a polar oil, a non polar oil and a surfactant.
- 7. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 6 wherein the polar oil is a vegetable or animal oil.

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- 8. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 6 wherein the non polar oil is a mineral or petroleum oil.
- 9. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 6 wherein the surfactant is a non ionic surfactant.
- 10. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 6, further including a solvent for a compound of the plant material.
- 11. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 6 wherein the extractant is a mixture of about 70% to about 90% by weight of a fatty acid ester and about 10 to about 30% by weight of one or more of a polar oil, a non polar oil a surfactant and an agent for stabilising an emulsion.
- 12. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 10 wherein the solvent for a compound of the plant material is about 5 to about 50% by weight of the fatty acid ester.
- 13. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 1 wherein the plant material is selected from a group consiting of *Tasmannia stipitata*, *Prostanthera incisa*, *Callitris glaucophylla* and *Backhousia citriodora*.
- 14. (Withdrawn) A method for producing a pesticidal spray oil formulation including:
 - -providing an extractant including a non sulfonated triacyl glycerol and/or fatty acid ester -contacting the extractant with a plant material to form an extract of compounds from the plant material
 - -optionally adding a pesticidally active oil to the formed extract, to produce a pesticidal spray oil formulation.
- 15. (Currently Amended) A spray oil formulation produced by a method including the following steps:

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- a) providing an extractant including
 - a non-sulfonated triacyl glycerol and/or fatty acid ester; and
 - a surfactant; and
 - a polar or non polar oil that is pesticidally active;
- b) contacting the extractant with a plant material <u>in conditions for permitting the non-sulfonated triacylglyerol and/or the fatty acid ester and one or more of the surfactant, polar oil and non polar oil to solubilise a compound in the plant material to form an extract including compounds from the plant material <u>that are soluble in one or more of the surfactant, polar oil and non polar oil, thereby forming a spray oil formulation.</u></u>
- 16. (Canceled)
- 17. (Previously Presented) The formulation of claim 15, wherein the fatty acid ester is selected from a group consisting of methyl, ethyl, propyl, butyl, pentyl, hexyl, heptyl, octyl, nonyl, decyl, undecyl and dodecyl esters.
- 18. (Previously Presented) The formulation of claim 15, wherein the fatty acid ester is produced by esterification of an animal or vegetable oil.
- 19. (Canceled)
- 20. (Previously Presented) The formulation of claim 15, wherein the extractant further includes a solvent for a compound of the plant material.
- 21. (Previously Presented) The formulation of claim 15, wherein the plant material is selected from the group consisting of *Tasmannia stipitata*, *Prostanthera incisa*, *Callitris glaucophylla* and *Backhousia citriodora*.

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- 22. (Canceled)
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